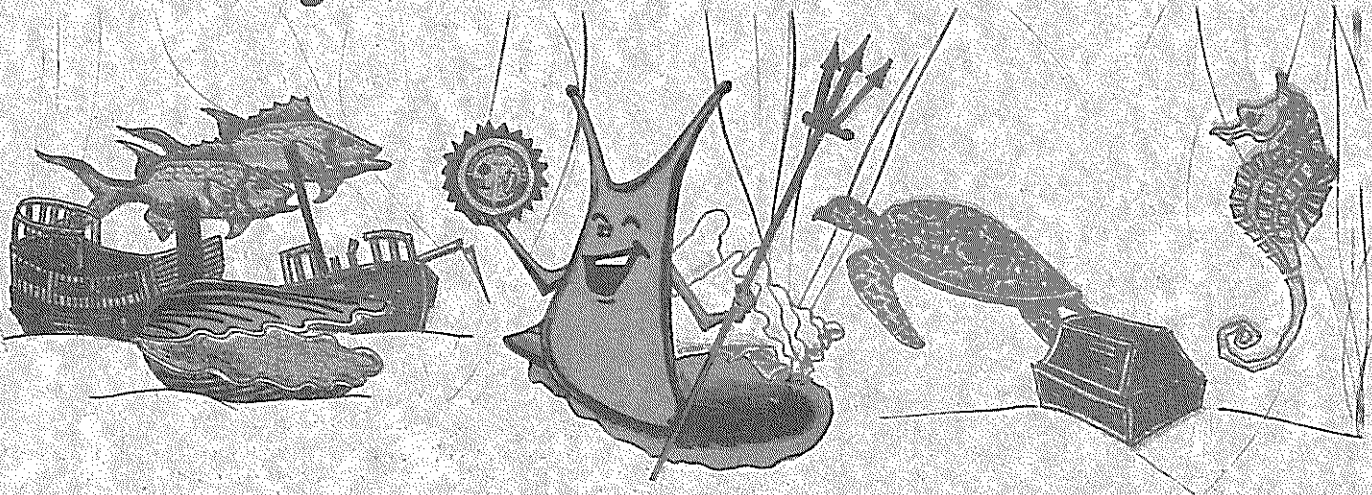


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Mayor's Proclamation

WHEREAS, law enforcement officers steadfastly provide an extraordinary level of service for 24 hours a day, seven days a week, under often-difficult and dangerous circumstances; and

WHEREAS, law enforcement officers and their loved ones must live with the possibility of life-threatening violence every day they are on the job; and

WHEREAS, as a consequence of this danger, many law enforcement officers have made the supreme sacrifice for their communities; and

WHEREAS, hundreds of courageous public safety officers lost their lives in the tragedies of September 11, 2001; and

WHEREAS, law enforcement officers and grateful citizens pause every year to honor the memory of these officers and the officers who have lost their lives serving the citizens of Monroe County

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Charles "Sonny" McCoy, Mayor of Monroe County, do hereby declare May 7th - 13th, 2006 as

LAW ENFORCEMENT MEMORIAL WEEK

In the "Southernmost County of the Continental United States". I urge all citizens, residents and visitors of Monroe County to remember those law enforcement officers who fell holding the thin, blue line that stands between good and evil. I invite our community to attend the Law Enforcement Ceremony on Friday, May 12th at 6:00 p.m. at the Bayview Park in Key West.

WITNESS my hand and seal of Monroe County, Florida this _____ day of May, 2006.
Charles "Sonny" McCoy,

Charles "Sonny" McCoy, Mayor

